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SEE OUR AD. ON WOMAN'S PAGE IN THIS EVENING'S NEWS LEADER.

THE INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY-SCHOOL LESSON FOR MARCH 27, 1904.

STUDIES IN THE LIFE OF CHRIST, FIRST QUARTERLY REVIEW.

Golden Text: And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and preaching the gospel of the kingdom and healing all manner of sickness.—Matt. iv. 23.

By Rev. J. E. Gilbert, D. D., Secretary of American Society of Religious Education

FIRST WORDS.—During the quarter we have had two lessons, the second and eleventh, concerning John the Baptist, treating his preaching and his death.

SECOND LESSON.—(Luke, ix. 1-10.) At twelve years of age Jesus went with His mother and foster father to the Passover at Jerusalem.

THIRD LESSON.—(January 17th.) The Baptism and Temptation of Jesus. (Matt. iii. 13-17.)

FOURTH LESSON.—(January 21st.) Jesus Rejected at Nazareth. (Luke, iv. 16-30.)

FIFTH LESSON.—(January 25th.) Jesus Calls Four Disciples. (Luke, v. 1-11.)

SIXTH LESSON.—(Feb. 7-8.) Sabbath at Capernaum. (Mark, vi. 1-13.)

SEVENTH LESSON.—(Feb. 14.) Jesus Forgives Sin. (Mark, ii. 1-12.)

EIGHTH LESSON.—(March 6th.) Jesus Calms the Storm. (Mark, iv. 35-41.)

NINTH LESSON.—(March 13th.) Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand. (John, vi. 1-14.)

TENTH LESSON.—(March 20th.) Peter's Confession. (Matt. xvi. 13-19.)

filed disciples, the message to Jesus. We see here what customs prevailed in the eastern courts, the wickedness of desecrating the desecrated womanhood, the reckless disregard of life, the suffering of the righteous, the temporary triumph of the wicked, the sympathy of the good, the distress of the bereaved.

CHURCH NOTES. Interesting Meeting to be Held at Methodist Institute.

An exceptionally interesting service will be held at the Methodist Institute on Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock.

Dr. W. R. J. Smith, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, corner Sixth and Main Streets, will continue his series of sermons on "The Kingdom of God."

BROWN TO PLEAD GUILTY. The Defaulting Life Insurance Cashier to be Tried To-day.

In the Hustings Court to-day the case of the Commonwealth vs. Theron H. Brown, the defaulting cashier of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia, will be tried.

Utility of Bloodhounds. The bloodhounds raised and trained at the State penitentiary farm are doing good work.

Many Suits Entered. In the Law and Equity Court yesterday the following suits were entered:

Feast of Passover. The Feast of the Passover will be observed Wednesday evening and Thursday morning in Beth Ahab Synagogue.

Out for Council. The following candidates have announced themselves for the Common Council, subject to the Democratic primary.

Wouldn't Interfere. Governor Montague yesterday declined to interfere in the case of C. M. Peoples, who is under death sentence for murder.

Open House.

With us the curtain is always drawn aside, and we tell you all you wish to know about our Pianos. We don't do business by abusing others, but attend strictly to our own.

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M'CARTHY GETS SALARY INCREASE

Mayor Taylor, However, Withholds Signature From Ordinance.

The ordinance fixing the salary of City Accountant Carlton McCarthy at \$2,400 per year, instead of \$1,800, as heretofore, became law yesterday.

Lynchburg Case. Judge George M. Morrison wrote the opinion of the court in the case of Lynchburg cotton mills vs. Stanley, etc.

A Will Case. In the case of Gaddess and others vs. Norris's executors, and others which came up on an appeal from the Circuit Court of Fauquier county Judge Hefford G. Whittle prepared the opinion.

Judgment Reversed. In the case of Morla vs. the Norfolk and Atlantic Terminal Company, that came up from the Court of Law and Chancery of Norfolk, Judge Harrison wrote the brief opinion.

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COMMISSION SUSTAINED

Decision of the Supreme Court of Appeals Upholds Rules of Corporation Commission.

THE DEMURRAGE CASE. The Judges of the Highest Court in the State Unanimous in the Opinion.

The Supreme Court of Appeals handed down four opinions yesterday, one of which was of far reaching importance, being the unanimous opinion of the court in the case of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company and others vs. the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Perhaps no case that has reached the Supreme Court of Appeals in recent years has attracted as much attention as this one, and it is probable that none has been better understood by the public generally.

In brief the suit upon which this case reaches the Supreme Court, is one brought by the leading railways doing business in Virginia, to test the constitutionality of the laws providing for the establishment and operation of the State Corporation Commission of Virginia.

The main contention of the railways is that the constitutional provisions creating the commission had giving it power in violation of the letter and spirit of the Constitution of the United States.

The opinion, which was written by Judge John A. Buchanan and concurred in by all the judges, sustains the Corporation Commission in all particulars.

There being no objection made here to the reasonableness or justice of the rules and regulations in question, and their validity being attacked only to the extent of their application to interstate and foreign commerce, and in so far as they may deprive the appellants of the use of their property without due process of law, we are, therefore, of opinion that the said rules and regulations are reasonable, just and valid.

And we are further of the opinion that the question of their validity, so far as affected by the Constitution of the United States, may be raised and determined in any case in which that question could be raised in due course of law.

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Richmond Passenger and Power Company vs. Interurban Railway Company. Richmond vs. Interurban Railway Company.

Yesterdays Argument. Newport News Pub. Company vs. Beaumont. Pully argued by C. Aylett Ashley and William C. Stuart for defendant.

MAP OUT PLANS TO-DAY. Capitol Commission to Organize and Begin Work.

Mrs. Bigger Now Out. Mrs. J. Bell Bigger, who has been confined to her room for the last five weeks from the effects of a severe fall, is much better and is now able to be out.

Mr. Philip Gibson Ill. Mr. Philip Gibson, who has been in Florida for the past month, is now quite ill at the home of Mr. W. P. Brays, No. 16 North Laurel Street.

EASTER FLOWERS. Finest collection of Azaleas, Lilies, Red Rambler Roses, Hydrangeas, Spruces and Hyacinths in the city.

April Brides are now ordering their Wedding Invitations

ANNOUNCEMENTS. Let us have your order NOW!

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Charters Granted. The Corporation Commission has granted the following charters:

Church Hill Physicians. The Church Hill Medical Association held a meeting at No. 231 East Grace Street last night.

To Newport News. Company B. Walker Light Guard, have decided to attend the launching of the Virginia at Newport News on April 5th.

STATE OF VIRGINIA INTER-LIBRARIES

"Inter-Library Loans" as Authorized by Act of Legislature, to be Inaugurated.

Mr. John P. Kennedy, the State Librarian, has issued a circular of inquiry addressed to librarians and others interested in library progress in Virginia.

A recent act of the General Assembly legalized "interlibrary loans" in Virginia. Under this act the State will lend to all libraries granting a like privilege to the Virginia State Library.

Books loaned in this way are only loaned upon the statement of the librarian that the library to be benefited will defray all expenses of transportation, and return to this office within ten days of date of shipment, any property of the State entrusted to his keeping.

As this system will bring all libraries in Virginia into close communication, it is now necessary that a complete list of the libraries be prepared.

Name of library? Where located? In what county? Number of volumes? Number of pamphlets? Travelling libraries? Free for home use? Free for reference? Name of librarian? A prompt reply to the above inquiries will materially advance the interests of library work in Virginia.

JOHN P. KENNEDY, State Librarian. Virginia State Library, Richmond, March 26, 1904.

A year or two ago the United States Bureau of Education asked for similar information by circular, but received a very feeble response from Virginia.

EAR SENT BY MAIL HAS BEEN BURIED. The human ear, the colored human ear, that in some way yet unknown to the postoffice officials found its way in the postoffice mail in the Richmond postoffice and was largely advertised in yesterday's papers, has not been called for by the owner.

Exterminate Onions. Colonel Richardson yesterday had a number of convicts destroying the onion crop in the Capitol Square, so as to allow the grass to grow.

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